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PATENT APPLICATION  
Attorney Docket No. 19141-002CIP (NT-2 CIP)

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner : Bronwen M. Loeb  
Group Art Unit : 1636  
Serial No. : 09/559,707 (Confirmation No.: 2553)  
Applicants : John Greenwood et al.  
Filed: : April 27, 2000  
For : RETINAL CELL LINES WITH EXTENDED LIFE-SPAN  
AND THEIR APPLICATIONS

Boston, MA  
December 9, 2002

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the June 7, 2002 Office Action in the above-identified application. With the extension, a response is due on or before December 9, 2002. A check in the amount of \$460.00 in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), for a small entity, is enclosed herewith.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 19141-002 CIP. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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